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SUBJ: NON-ALIGNED CONFERENCE

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1. FOREIGN MINISTRY (KY) INFORMED US AUG 13 THAT INSTRUCTIONS
HAVE BEEN SENT TO ALL GVN DIPLOMATIC AND CONSULAR POSTS TO DO
DISCREET BUT ACTIVE LOBBYING AGAINST COMMUNIST ATTEMPT TO
HAVE PRG ADMITTED AS MEMBER OF NON-ALIGNED
CONFERENCE AT ALGIERS. GVN POSTS IN NON-ALIGNED COUNTRIES ARE TO
RAISE MATTER FORMALLY WITH HOST GOVERNMENT, LEAVING MEMORANDUM
ON GVN POSITION (BEING TRANSMITTED SEPTEL). ALL GVN POSTS,
INCLUDING OBSERVER MISSION IN NEW YORK, ARE ALREADY CONTACTING
NON-ALGINED EMBASSIES AND MISSIONS FORSAME PURPOSE.

2. IN ADDITION, FOR GVN MISSIONS WILL VISIT SOME OF MORE FRIENDLY COUNTRIES IN EAST ASIA, MIDDLE EAST, AFRICA, AND U.S. (POSSIBLY ALSO SOME COUNTRIES IN WESTERN EUROPE). NAMES OF MISSION MEMBERS AND TINERARIES ARE STILL BEING DETERMINED AD CONFIDENTIAL

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WILL BE REPORTED AS SOON AS AVAILABLE.

3. COMMENT: DEPT PLEASE NOTE THAT GVN HAS ALREADY BEGUN ITS
CAMPAIGN ON PRG ISSUE AT NON-ALIGNED CONFERENCE. ASSUME DEPT
WILL ISSUE INSTRUCTIONS SOONEST ASKING U.S. MISSIONS TO
SUPPORT GVN EFFORT. (STATE 158702).
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